THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) and (b) The total land including farmland for establishment of 237 Special Economic Zones (SEZs), for which formal approvals have been granted by the Government, is 34,510 hectares. This extent of land would not hamper the agricultural production in the country considering the fact that total arable land in the country is over 100 million hectares.

(c) and (d) Land is a State subject. However, the State Governments have been advised that in case of land acquisition for SEZs, first priority should be for acquisition of waste and barren land and if necessary, single crop land could be acquired for the SEZs and if perforce a portion of double cropped agricultural land has to be acquired to meet the minimum area requirements, the same should not exceed 10% of the total land required for the SEZs.

(e) No, Sir.

Increase in ratio of unemployed youth

*18. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the ratio of unemployed youth is increasing day by day;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the names of the schemes which are providing employment to the youths;

(d) how many jobs are provided under each scheme, State-wise specially in Bihar and Maharashtra; and

(e) the steps being taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES): (a) and (b) Reliable Estimates of employment and unemployment are obtained through quinquennial labour force surveys conducted by National Sample Survey Organization. Last such survey for which results are available pertains to the year 2004-05. As per these surveys, unemployment rate among youth (15-29 years) on usual status basis during 1999-2000 and 2004-05 more or less remained at the same level at around 5.4%.

(c) to (e) Government is attempting employment generation in the normal growth process of the economy as well as through special employment generation programmes. The special programmes include Swarnajayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana, Sampoorna Grameen RojgarYojana, Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana, Prime Minister's Rojgar Yojana, Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana etc. Besides these, Government is also implementing National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme in the 200 identified districts of the country, which provides for at least 100 days of guaranteed wage employment in a financial year to every household in the rural areas and whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work. State-wise employment generated under some of these schemes is given in the enclosed Statement-I, II, and III.

Statement-I

Physical performance of all States under a programme

SGSY
[Member of SHGs Assisted (Nos.)]

Year 2005-2006

State	Month up to	Total Target	Total Achievement	%Ach. to Target
1	2	3	4	5
Andhra Pradesh	Mar	0.00	122,807.00	N/A
Arunachal Pradesh	Mar	0.00	1,086.00	N/A
Assam	Mar	0.00	55,333.00	N/A
Bihar	Mar	0.00	43,879.00	N/A
Chhattisgarh	Mar	0.00	13,823.00	N/A
Goa	Mar	0.00	369.00	N/A
Gujarat	Mar	0.00	6,559.00	N/A
Haryana	Mar	0.00	12,026.00	N/A

1	2	3	4	5
Himachal Pradesh	Mar	0.00	6,303.00	N/A
Jammu & Kashmir	Mar	0.00	2,281.00	N/A
Jharkhand	Mar	0.00	45,296.00	N/A
Karnataka	Mar	0.00	43,752.00	N/A
Kerala	Mar	0.00	17,791.00	N/A
Madhya Pradesh	Mar	0.00	47,039.00	N/A
Maharashtra	Mar	0.00	64,583.00	N/A
Manipur	Mar	0.00	1,806.00	N/A
Meghalaya	Mar	0.00	1,811.00	N/A
Mizoram	Mar	0.00	1,276.00	N/A
Nagaland	Jan	0.00	237.00	N/A
Orissa	Mar	0.00	60,571.00	N/A
Punjab	Mar	0.00	3,412.00	N/A
Rajasthan	Mar	0.00	11,492.00	N/A
Sikkim	Mar	0.00	946.00	N/A
Tamil Nadu	Mar	0.00	38,287.00	N/A
Tripura	Mar	0.00	6,188.00	N/A
Uttar Pradesh	Mar	0.00	225,225.00	N/A
Uttaranchal	Mar	0.00	16,986.00	N/A
West Bengal	Mar	0.00	16,407.00	N/A
A&N Islands	Feb	0.00	250.00	N/A
Lakshadweep	Mar	0.00	1.00	N/A
Pondicherry	Mar	0.00	858.00	N/A
North Eastern States		0.00	68,683.00	N/A
All India		0.00	868,680.00	N/A

Statement-II

Physical performance of all States under a programme

SGRY
[Works Completed (Nos.)]

Year 2005-2006

State	Month up to	Total Target	Total Achievement	%Ach. to Target
1	2	3	4	5
Andhra Pradesh	Mar	111,136.00	97,210.00	87.47
Arunachal Pradesh	Feb	1,806,00	1,442.00	79.84
Assam	Mar	112,043.00	94,427.00	84.28
Bihar	Mar	148,048.00	65.56	N/A
Chhattisgarh	Mar	97,554.00	81,941.00	84.00
Goa	Mar	211.00	36.00	17.06
Gujarat	Mar	71,560.00	65,164.00	91.06
Haryana	Mar	36,418.00	35,995.00	98.84
Himachal Pradesh	Mar	24,191.00	19,528.00	80.72
Jammu & Kashmir	Mar	18,654.00	16,603.00	89.01
Jharkhand	Mar	45,095.00	52,999.00	117.53
Karnataka	Mar	142,832.00	115,280.00	80.71
Kerala	Mar	29,781.00	17,842.00	59.91
Madhya Pradesh	Mar	160,522.00	137,662.00	85.76
Maharashtra	Mar	154,429.00	106,837.00	69.18

1	2	3	4	5
Manipur	Feb	5,402.00	2,673.00	49.48
Meghalaya	Mar	9,628.00	7,265.00	75.46
Mizoram	Mar	2,931.00	2,539.00	86.63
Nagaland	Mar	3,083.00	2,946.00	95.56
Orissa	Feb	39,215.00	35,320.00	90.07
Punjab	Mar	19,907.00	17,122.00	86.01
Rajasthan	Mar	52,736.00	44,017.00	83.47
Sikkim	Mar	2,760.00	2,353.00	85.25
Tamil Nadu	Mar	106,166.00	101,215.00	95.34
Tripura	Mar	29,235.00	26,589.00	90.95
Uttar Pradesh	Mar	302,264.00	276,905.00	91.61
Uttaranchal	Mar	38,480.00	16,988.00	44.15
West Bengal	Mar	186,412.00	127,748.00	68.53
A&N Islands	Feb	193.00	171.00	88.30
Lakshadweep	Mar	14.00	6.00	42.86
Pondicherry	Mar	207.00	185.00	89.37
North Estern States		166,888.00	140,234.00	84.03
ALL INDIA		1,952,913.00	1,604,074.00	82.14

Statement - III

Physical progress (cumulative) under SJSRY

Sl. No.	State/UTs	Community Structure (CS)				USEP							UWEP
		No. of Towns Under CS	No. of Town UPF cell formed (in lakhs)	No. of Beneficiaries identified under CS	No. of CDSs formed	No. of Towns BPL Survey conducted	No. of Cos Appointed	No. of Beneficiaries assisted under USEP	No. of Persons Trained	No. of DWCUAs formed	No. of Women Beneficiaries under DWCUAs	No. of T&Cs Formed	No. of Mandays created (in lakhs)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Andhra Pradesh	117	117	34.94	145	117	36	90777	51097	16131	54380	73872	89.59
2	Arunachal Pradesh	17	4	0.01	8	17	82	442	314	6	75	6	12.05
3	Assam	87	87	0.90	87	87	7	7039	8864	120	225	200	8.28
4	Bihar	122	122	12.02	122	122	122	15429	4860	2120	19245	0	28.15
5	Chhattisgarh	110	75	3.82	90	75	55	10088	9474	448	1142	5524	4.71
6	Goa	13	0	1.57	13	13	9	480	996	4	30	1	1.41
7	Gujarat	148	117	14.00	192	149	251	35734	50883	7203	194	1968	22.73
8	Haryana	68	68	9.41	265	68	0	16300	24309	375	3603	778	3.30

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
9	Himachal Pradesh	49	49	0.14	49	49	13	1649	3882	54	397	29	6.11
10	Jammu & Kashmir	70	5	0.09	3	25	98	11089	18351	135	304	41	1.11
11	Jharkhand	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
12	Karnataka	215	216	9.00	226	216	348	36847	113967	1583	10318	9929	73.46
13	Kerala	58	58	10.26	59	58	115	17590	39235	1747	15979	8632	2.78
14	Madhya Pradesh	337	337	30.30	512	337	236	99626	105561	3529	9651	9949	29.48
15	Maharashtra	247	237	14.44	868	245	189	74538	157960	4833	29499	21686	36.73
16	Manipur	28	28	4.60	32	28	32	0	2506	96	0	88	5.24
17	Meghalaya	6	6	0.44	5	6	6	1710	1345	11	1	1	1.83
18	Mizoram	22	3	0.55	3	3	10	160	3483	337	0	30	14.78
19	Nagaland	11	8	1.45	11	11	14	812	1970	179	2982	259	1.99
20	Orissa	103	102	9.46	0	103	70	26189	20127	1789	12237	2102	23.66
21	Punjab	133	131	10.57	177	133	0	8566	14061	48	220	106	5.09
22	Rajasthan	183	0	23.51	0	183	0	47014	22774	304	1027	432	23.15
23	Sikkim	46	1	0.00	0	46	4	479	1487	12	0	20	3.58
24	Tamil Nadu	719	719	40.06	763	719	263	28976	37974	6342	14353	815865	64.37
25	Tripura	13	13	0.49	13	13	16	4270	12262	89	980	121	5.20
26	Uttaranchal	63	50	0.04	71	63	0	812	1414	2	20	23	0.07

27	Uttar Pradesh	624	624	56.23	1251	623	0	130592	122638	3363	9732	8437	68.99
28	West Bengal	126	126	58.20	305	126	233	18686	77900	319	1404	11995	36.39
29	A&N Islands	1	1	0.01	1	1	1	32	0	1	0	4	5.55
30	Chandigarh	1	1	0.21	8	1	3	242	2397	5	23	30	0.00
31	D&N Haveli	2	0	0.00	0	2	0	67	219	5	0	1	0.94
32	Daman & Diu	2	2	0.04	1	2	1	68	0	0	0	0	0.04
33	Delhi	9	1	12.23	198	0	0	1063	2570	40	58	51	0.00
34	Pondicherry	5	1	1.81	7	5	11	1748	9743	362	3089	1070	4.09
	TOTAL	3755	3309	337.40	6485	3646	2225	688114	924680	51592	191188	173250	584.88